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The funeral services over the remains of the late W. F. Staples were held at the Presbyterian church last Wednesday forenoon. The discourse was preached by Rev. W. H. C. Sandigee, who had been the pastor of the deceased for thirty years. He was assisted by Rev. J. R. Crawford. Quite a number of relatives and friends were present. It was the intention to bury the remains at Union, but just as the procession was ready to leave town word came that it was impossible to complete the grave at that place on account of the rising of the water. It was then decided that the interment be in the city cemetery, but it required several hours to get the vault ready, hence the burying did not take place until about 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Garnett Montgomery, the second son of Hon. J. F. Montgomery, of this place, is now practicing law in Quannah, Texas. He went to Fort Worth recently and took the Texas examination. There were quite a number of lawyers in the class, many of them from other States, but only nine passed. Mr. Montgomery being one of the number. Six of the nine who went through the law at Fort Worth. It will be remembered that Mr. Montgomery was licensed here about the time he became of age. For several years he has been doing abstract work in an office in Quannah and also familiarizing himself with the laws of Texas.

Mrs. John Wells, who was a daughter of Mr. C. C. Holt, the well-known sewing machine agent, was burned to death last Friday. She was standing in front of an open fire place when her clothing caught, and she was burned to death before assistance could reach her. She lived at Esto.

Mr. Ewing Stiles, of this place, who has been employed by the Rochester, New York, Baseball Club, Eastern League, has been notified to report at Lexington, Ky., on the 15th day of this month. Soon thereafter he will leave for Rochester.

Miss Dollie Pickett, daughter of Charles L. and Amanda Pickett, and Samuel Rodgers, both of Adair County, were married at Farmington, Ill., on Thursday, Feb. 25, 1909. A great many friends witnessed the Union.

Mr. McWhet, a former Casey county gentleman, was recently married to Miss Alice Price, Dallas, Texas. Mr. Wheat's first wife was Miss Lila Page, a daughter of the late C. R. Page, and a niece of Dr. J. N. Page, this place.

Mr. J. O. Russell sold last Thursday, the cottage on Frazier Avenue, the one Mr. John D. Lewis sold for the purpose of years, to Mr. "Buck" Willis for nine hundred dollars. Mr. Willis certainly got the property at a bargain.

It is reported that the residents of Gradyville were greatly alarmed during the heavy rains last week, and that several families moved out of their homes. Our Gradyville correspondent tells the story of the excitement.

Two buckers several wagons, a buggy two horses and two mules and some other property belonging to L. T. Bradshaw & Co were sold for the courthouse door, to the highest bidder, Monday. The property sold low.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kelley, who live on the street back of the old hotel building, died last Saturday night and was buried Sunday afternoon. Religious services were held by Eld. Z. T. Williams.

The store house and stock of goods, which were owned by B. G. Redman at Garlin, this county, were consumed by fire last Sunday night. We understand that there was insurance to the amount of \$1500.

Our Dirigo correspondent takes Mr. Turner to task, but he is mistaken as to the Turner. The one who writes over the non de plum, Paul Revere, lives in Metcalfe county.

Quarterly meeting at Mt. Carmel Church next Sunday night and Monday. Rev. T. L. Hulise will preach Sunday night.

Mr. Leslie Staples is now a permanent clerk in the post-office. He is making a very efficient helper.

Born, to the wife of Wm. Johnston, near Cave Valley, on the 23rd of February, a daughter.

The Standard Hardware mill started yesterday. They have a great many logs on the yard.

Cumberland river is said to be higher than it has been for twenty-five years.

I will pay \$1.15 a bushel for wheat for the next 30 days. W. R. Myers. 15-4t

GRAND OPENING

Beginning March 15 and Continuing Six Days.

The Buchanan Lyon Co., Inc. Campbellville, Ky., having just moved their retail and sample room department into their new quarters, the handsome new three story pressed brick, Wilcox building, conceded by all to be the most modern up-to-date and best equipped building for the purpose in Central Ky., and being very anxious to have all their friends and customers in Taylor, Adair and adjoining counties call and inspect their immense stock of Hardware, implements, all kinds, buggies, surreys, driving wagons, harness, saddlery, collars, pads, woven wire fencing American, all heights. Also the famous page fence Lion brand, conceded by all to be equal, if not the best fence made. They have also just received a full car T. B. Co. steel ranges, the most modern and up-to-date ranges made. Their private brand mfg. by one of the largest range mfg. in U. S. They pay you to visit their place during this opening week, as they will show you the most complete assortment of all the latest improved and up-to-date goods in their line that was ever shown outside the largest Cities. Prices on every line will be marked down during this opening week and special inducements will be offered which will be fully explained in the paper next week. They will also have with them during the entire week ten or twelve experts from the various mfg. from whom they buy goods to make demonstrations and explanation on all the different lines. They will also present every one visiting their place during this week with a valuable souvenir. Don't miss this opportunity to see this grand display. It will certainly pay you to attend even though you are not in need of anything in their line. Don't forget the date, begins March 15, continuing six days.

Russell County Primary.

The Republican primary election, to nominate county officers, came off in Russell county last Saturday. The following are winners: Representative, Dr. J. M. Blair. County Judge, A. M. P. Hill. County Clerk, Atis McFarland. Circuit Clerk, S. A. Gann. Sheriff, W. S. Hughes. Superintendent, Robert Antle. Jailer, Clay Sullivan. Coroner, James Holt. The following candidates had no opposition and were declared nominees by the Committee: County Attorney, R. E. Lloyd. Surveyor, W. T. Mitchell. Coroner, James Holt. We failed to get the majorities in but two or three contests. Mr. Atis McFarland, brother of Mr. W. T. McFarland, this place, had two opponents for County Clerk, his majority being 194 over the candidate next to him.

Died in Elida, N. M.

The intelligence of the death of John Vance, who was a son Mrs. Mattie Vance and a nephew of Judge T. A. Murrell, reached here Thursday night. The end came at Elida, N. M., Wednesday, the 24th inst. The deceased was about eighteen years old and had been an invalid since he was a small boy. He was born in this county and lived here until a few years ago when he went with his mother and other members of the family to New Mexico. It will be remembered that a number of years ago he met with a stroke of paralysis, losing his speech. The news extends its sympathy to the mother and other surviving members of the family.

Found Dead.

Last Thursday afternoon an unknown white man, who was well dressed and having the appearance of a person who had been well reared, was found dead in the river near Bakerton, Cumberland county. He had a large hole in the back of his head. When the news reached this office the remains had not been identified. It is believed that a murder was committed. The man appeared to be between 35 and forty years old. There were four dollars in money and a key chain and bunch of keys found on his person, but no papers. He was clean shaven.

Fire at Marrowbone.

Last Friday morning before daylight a large mercantile establishment of Alexander, Davis & Gray, Marrowbone, Cumberland county, was consumed by fire. The firm did a general mercantile business and was one of the largest

stores in that section of the State. We have not lost the origin of the fire, but it is said the loss was heavy. This store was close to the bankhouse of Marrowbone, but we understand that building was not seriously damaged.

Rev. Crawford's Sunday's Discourse.

Last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Dr. Crawford came before his congregation with the strongest and most pointed discourse that in my judgment the people of Columbia have ever listened to. His subject was the Bible taking the Scripture for a foundation, the answer of the Savior to the young lawyer, "What is written in the law thou hast read?" Luke 10-28. The speaker made this a question to apply to every individual who reads the book. He said to many people take up too much time to the mysteries of the Bible and the things that they are not able to understand, which hinder them in their Christian lives and experience after the manner of the hind which flies through the trees and bushes in so much that they can not fly as swiftly, or with as much ease being hindered by the thick cluster of vines and brush, but if they would mount upon their wings and soar far above these hindrances they would fly with more ease. In the light of this discourse if the people would rise above unbelief, prejudice and superstition and study of God unto Salvation to them alone, believe and exercise faith in Jesus Christ, dismiss skepticism and criticism. This would take them over it all, and at last they would enter the celestial Home. J. F. Turner.

Cave Valley Social.

Misses Ethel and Lillie Jackson opened the doors of their home last Saturday evening to their friends of Cave Valley. A very enjoyable evening was spent with music, games and social converse. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cundiff, Misses Minnie Eubank, Pinkie Callison, Lizzie Bleivins, Susie Kate Page, Cora Smith, Cora Farris, Mary Tappan, Nancy Dugdon, Bess Rice, Myrt Comer, Mollie M. Squires, Ruth Sublett, Sallie Johnson, Annie Farris, Julia Moore, Claude Bumgarner, Mary Dugdon, Fannie Hancock, Pearl and Lee Comer, Mary Sublett, Julia Pickett, Mary Hancock, Ivy Sublett, Mattie Callison, Cecil Farris, Agnes Sharp, Messrs Will Wilson, Sherrod Murrell, Louard Smith, Robt. Sublett, Penick Smith, Dennis Eubank, W. W. Kerr, Joe Callison, Sam Judd, Geo. Cundiff, Will Kelley Eugene Rice, Emmet McAllister, Mont Page, Bingham Moore, Arthur Hope-ward, Mr. Newton, Jno. Smith, Dempsey Beard, F. Farris, F. Littrell, Tyler Tappan, Will Hancock, R. Todd, Ira Vaughan, Russell Beard, Geo. Hancock, G. Ellis, G. Farris, Banks Hancock, Spaulding Smith, Ben Banks and others.

New Millinery Coming.

Miss Sallie Field, who in company with Mrs. J. O. Russell is in St. Louis buying millinery goods for this market, sends in a letter to a friend: "We have spent these days inspecting, and selecting models, from the renowned 'Fiat Hats,' Gold medal tailored hats and Paris models; the latter, we have seen here, under the personal direction of a Paris Designer, of cosmopolitan engagements. A few choice models thus selected, with our orders, for construction and trimming with the head trimmers of the respective companies (Chicago and St. Louis) by which we will be enabled to offer Columbia and vicinity, the opportunity of procuring hats, at home, of unquestionable style and correctness." 17-1t

Program.

The following is the program of the Adair County Medical Society which meets in Columbia on the second Thursday in March 1909 at 10 o'clock. Epidemic Catarrh, S. A. Taylor, Pneumonia, H. B. Simpson, Some cases I have lost, U. L. Taylor. How can we increase the interest in this society, N. H. Hancock. Let all who have been on the program heretofore, and have not read papers, come prepared on time. Let every doctor in the county make an effort to be here.

W. R. Grissom, W. F. Cartwright, U. L. Taylor, Committee.

Attention.

All persons owing me notes and accounts are requested to call and settle at once. I need the money due me and I trust that this notice will be heeded. The outstanding business of 1908 must be settled. W. L. Walker.

Stock Items.

Tilden Wheeler sold three mules for \$500.—Sparkville cor.

Hiram Stotts bought one mule from R. T. Baker for \$100; G. W. Stotts bought a horse from A. K. Rupe for \$100.—Dirigo cor.

L. B. Cain sold to Granville Morgan one horse for \$150; to Luther Wilmore one two-year-old mare for \$110; one cow to Stamper Pickett for \$32.50; four heifers to U. N. Whitlock for \$48.20. He bought one mare from Zeno Hammond for \$140; bought one mule colt from Achilles Dudley for \$65.

John W. Pickett sold two head of cattle to Frank Dohoney price \$30; G. W. Dudley sold to F. Dohoney four head of cattle price \$70; Allen Dudley sold one Peacock filly to his brother, Tom for \$145; Allen Dudley bought one mule from Frank Dohoney paying him \$140.—Pickett Cor.

Mr. Boh Loy of this place delivered 29 head of hogs in Columbia last week to Leslie Bennett for 4 and 5 cents per pound; George Morrison bought one sow and 8 pigs from M. A. Morrison for \$12; Sam H. Bird sold one cow to Stamper Pickett for \$25; Zeno Hammond bought one mule from Ben Ed Rowe, price paid unknown.—Gadberry Cor.

Allie Pierce bought two shoats from Willie Strader for \$5; Ace Carter sold one mule cow to Willie Gupion for \$25; John Carter sold one cow to Jack Martin for \$14.50 and bought one cow from Tolbert Rahan for \$25; R. L. Prewitt bought a mule in Campbellville for \$180; Charley Burgess recently purchased a span of mules from Billy Graham for \$280; Charley Perkins purchased a yoke of work oxen from James Perkins for \$110.—Thorion cor.

Tilden Wheeler bought a two year old mare from N. S. Wheeler for \$130.

Curt Yarbrough sold a pair of two-year old mules to Will Shary for \$365, bought a horse mule for \$175, and bought a mare from W. T. Dohoney for \$175.

A. T. Hunn, of Columbia, bought one horse from Z. T. Pelley for \$200.—Pelleyville cor.

J. F. Pendleton bought last week from J. A. Diddle 10 cattle for \$272; 3 cattle from Abe Fullam, \$70; 1 cow from Ed Wheeler, \$30; 1 pair of mules from Frank Calk for \$300; 1 walk trot mare from J. R. England \$200.—Gradyville cor.

Penick Smith of here sold here two work mules to W. T. Barnes, of Lebanon, Ky. for \$320; T. T. Tupper sold this place sold H. V. Northercraft, St. Marys, one 16 hands mule for \$190.—Cave Valley cor.

J. N. Walkup sold a cow to Claud Gilpin recently for \$35; S. R. Walker bought a nice colt from R. Y. Simpson for unknown; Alvin J. Burd bought a cow from Charlie England one day last week for \$30.—Nell cor.

Mill, Elevator, Residence and Land For Sale.

This mill property, known as the Bradfordville Roller Mills, is a thoroughly equipped plant with a capacity of 50 barrels of flour daily, besides meal and Graham flour. The plant is in daily operation, producing brands that have a reputation not excelled by any. The Elevator was built in 1907, has a capacity of 20,000 bushels and is equipped with the latest improved machinery. The business was established in 1875 and is in good favor with a large steady and profitable trade.

The residence is a new two story rooming house with all necessary out-houses, barn, buggyshed, corn-crib, etc., all in good repair, on a lot 180 feet front by 375 feet deep, lawn beautifully shaded by large maples, 120 feet of colonial porch across front and sides of house. One of the most comfortable and desirable homes in Marion County. Attached to this is a plot of about 14 acres of the very finest bottom land, than which there is none better in the State.

The whole property lies together in the edge of the town of Bradfordville, Ky., a beautiful village with good churches and school, in the Valley of the Rolling Fork, 10 miles from Lebanon, the county seat of Marion County, where the nearest mill is located, and where this mill has a good trade. This is an unusual opportunity for a hand some home and a profitable well established business. The whole property

will be sold to highest bidder on the premises, Wednesday, March 10th, 1909, at the auctioneer's sale. Terms made known on day of sale. For further information, call on or address, T. B. & E. E. Terhune, Executors, Bradfordville, Ky.

Valuable Farm For Sale.

I will sell my farm, lying in east end of Adair county, at Montpelier, containing 200 acres, 55 or 60 acres in fine timber, balance in good state of cultivation. A good two-story dwelling and one good two-story business house. Out buildings good. One tenant house. The premises are fenced and cross fenced, plenty of good water. Price, \$10,000. Go and see for yourself. I might consider a timber deal. Mrs. E. B. & Sam R. Wheat. Irving, Texas.

Preaching Next Sunday.

W. H. C. Sandigee, Union. W. S. Dugdon, Greasy creek. J. F. Roach, Red Lick. F. J. Barger Beech Grove. Z. T. Williams, Cave Valley. J. M. Pierce, Clark Springs. J. B. Grider, White Oak. A. R. Kasey, Columbia. J. A. Johnston, Picketts chapel. J. W. Road, Milltown. W. B. Cave, Russell Springs.

Persons who are in need of groceries are requested to call at the store of C. C. Pickett. His goods are marked down. 16-2t.

Miss Birtie Breeding, who was forced to drop out of school a couple of weeks ago on account of losing her speech, is slowly improving. The physicians say that a vocal chord is effected that prevents speech above a whisper, but that it is not serious and within a short time she will recover.

Mr. Wm Story, a student in the Lindsey School, made a gallant and creditable race in the Russell county primary. He was a candidate to represent Russell and Casey in the next Legislature and was defeated by only six votes. He only canvassed the county one week before the primary.

We understand that negroes in Campbellville and Greensburg were on the warpath last Saturday night week. One negro man shot and mortally wounded by another negro at Campbellville, another colored man was found dead, in an alley at Greensburg, and in the same town a negro woman's throat was cut by a white sweetheart. This last was a quiet love affair.

The recent flood having destroyed so much fencing will necessitate the buying of a great deal of woven wire fencing. We have just received 3 carloads of American fence, all heights, also the famous Page line Lion Brand conceded by all to be equal, if not better than the best. Write us for prices before buying, we can save you money. The Buchanan Lyon Co., Inc. Campbellville, Ky.

We are requested to announce the following: Miss Lila M. Hale and Mr. Horace Evans, of Burnside, Ky., were married in Somerset, Ky., on the 24th, Rev. Hoy officiating. They are both very popular young people and loved by all who know them. Miss Hale is the former postmistress and Mr. Evans chief clerk on Steamer Rowena. They will spend the summer in Columbus, Ohio, with Mr. Evan's mother. Their many friends extend congratulations.

The Standard Hardware Lumber Company, of Columbia, their place of business being near the bridge, lost about a carload of lumber during the rise in Russell's creek, last week. Quite a number of farmers lost the rails that inclosed their premises, and some farms were greatly damaged by washouts. The water run over the pike beyond the bridge at this place, doing some damage to the pike, and Green river was higher than it had been for a number of years. Cumberland river has been out of banks for several days, and a great deal of damage has been done by the seeping waters.

Mr. W. Boyd, who lives near Crocus, was in town last Friday. He reported that his son, Willie Hardin, who has been quite sick, is much better. He reported that he heard the other day that one of the men who is selling liquor at Sand Lick Spring, shot at some boys who were going through his cornfield, and who he had ordered not to trespass on his property. No body was hurt. He also stated that it was currently reported in his neighborhood that a couple of boys who were supposed to live in Columbia, visited Sand Lick recently, got a supply of tangle foot, turned over their buggy, and one of them lost his hat, which was found the next day. They also lost one quart of liquor.

Death of An Old Lady.

Mrs. Myra Cook, who lived near Esto, Russell county, died last Sunday. She was seventy-nine years old, and greatly respected in the neighborhood.

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All persons owing me notes and accounts are requested to call and settle at once. I need the money due me and I trust that this notice will be heeded. The outstanding business of 1908 must be settled. W. L. Walker.

I am agent for the J. R. WATKINS REMEDY COMPANY and will furnish you extracts, spices, stock and poultry tonic and many other invaluable remedies needed in the home all guaranteed pure. I will call to see you or you can get them from J. H. Pelley, Columbia. (17-1m) Yours Truly, John B. Grant.

Revs. Tally and Root will close their meeting at Clear Spring to-night. Up to Sunday night there were four conversions and two additions to the church. Much interest was manifested throughout.

Mr. Lucien Durham, who was a prominent citizen of Green county, died at his late home, Miami, last Wednesday. He was 62 years old and served in the Confederate army.

Mr. Wilson Yarbrough, who was a brother of Mr. Marshall Yarbrough, died near Sparkville, last Sunday night. He was about 68 years old. He had been sick about one year.

Mr. Sam Breeding and family will remove to Columbia this week and will occupy the residence on Burkesville street, just above the Hancock hotel building.

G. T. Rasmey's laundry is now in operation. Since removing the machinery to the hill, the proprietor is better prepared than ever before to do good work.

I keep in stock the very best oak sole leather and tacks for putting it on. If you need anything in my line call. Solomon Turpin.

Goff Bros. have moved their livery and feed stable to the barn owned by Allen Walker, located on the cross street, leading from Greensburg street.

A number of hands will commence removing the old Iensburg building this week, preparatory for the new brick Russell Bank.

FOR SALE.—Five head of young mare mules. G. A. Smith, Columbia, Ky.

If you want a high price for your wheat bring it to the Columbia Roller Mill. \$1.15 a bushel. 15-4t.

50,000 pounds of good redtop baled hay for sale. Williams & Epperson, Montpelier, Ky. 17-2t

Get our prices before you buy your groceries. C. C. Pickett. 16-2t.

Now is the time to sell your wheat while it is high. \$1.15 a bushel at the Columbia Roller Mill. 15-4t.

Sandusky Bros. & Conover will start their boring machine to-morrow.

Buy your groceries from C. C. Pickett at reduced prices. 16-2t.

Bring your wheat to the Columbia Roller Mill, \$1.15 a bushel. 15-4t.

Russell Creek was higher than for a number of years.

Ella.

Green river has been higher than for 30 years. We have plenty of rain and mud.

Mrs. Lou Dillingham is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. Junius Holt is on the sick list.

Mrs. Margret Williams is some better at this writing.

Mr. Owen Dillingham and Mr. Jack Robertson attended the social at Neatsburg Thursday night.

Misses Lizzie Abrel and Mathra Dillingham visited in Russell county one day last week.

Our mail failed to reach Ella Wednesday on account of high waters.

Mad dogs are raging in Russell county.

Miss Lizzie Abrel and Mr. Lilburn Bottoms, visited Martha Dillingham Saturday night.

Mr. J. B. Abrel has the grip at this writing.

Short Stops.

A handsome frame has sold many a mediocre picture.

I saw a fly in the restaurant to-day. How times does fly!

A family is seldom too poor to support at least one dog.

Now who will be the first boy to go in swimming this spring?

When a caricature flatters a man, he must be real homely

Heroes are not born. They are found at the crucial moment.

The fellow who has the least excuse for calling, always comes on your busy day.

Whoever heard the spirits of the departed saying, "Here's howdy, old man"?

From now on until spring it will be nip and tuck with winter and that old overcoat.

There is no way to find out if a girl is going to scream if you kiss her, unless you do it.

Friendship is the wine of life, and no man can get enough of it to become inebriated.

When a man gets rich honestly, there is no reason for him going abroad to spend it.

A nurse who understands her business will promise to marry any man just to get him well.

The Missouri mule is listening attentively to that rumble from the west about war with Japan.

It is surprising what a bottle of olive oil will do for the man who thinks he has appendicitis.

At the meeting of the Pilgrim Fathers on Plymouth Rock, who represented the Standard Oil Company?

I hate to think what the ice trust will do to us if we don't get some more cold weather before seed time.

Nine times out of ten it is the man you call stingy who helps you when you have squandered your wages and need food.

"He had been married 40 years," says an editor, writing the obituary of a deceased citizen, "and was prepared to die!"

When a man is hurt in a train wreck, he is always curious when the doctor tells him he will recover, to know how much he will recover.

Sometimes a married man wonders why his wife needs any help at all. The average girl won't do the washing, is usually too frail to do the cleaning and, as a rule, can't cook!

One of the nice things about carrying a fountain pen in your pocket is the fact that you can always come within one of guessing whether it is, or is not, leaking down your shirt front.

The Western Newspaper Union is to have a new eight-story building. At first they intended to make it but seven stories. The way they happened to add—but that's another story.

On the train coming into town this morning I met a man who told me another man told him that his boy new a boy whose father told him their nearest neighbor had related to the milkman that he had seen the first robin this spring. 'Rah for spring.

Try this.

Smile, and the world smiles with you "knock," and you go alone; for the cheerful grin will let you in where the kicker is never known. Growl, and the way looks dreary, laugh, and the

path is bright, for a wholesome smile brings sunshine, while a frown shuts out the light. Sing and the world's harmonious, grumble, and things go wrong, and all the time you are out of rhyme with the busy, bustling throng. Kick, and there's trouble brewing, whistle, and life is gay, and the world's in tune like a day in June, and the clouds all melt away.

Woman as Governor.

When George E. Chamberlain, who is the present Governor of Oregon, goes to Washington to be sworn in as United States Senator, this week, the acting Governor of Oregon will be a woman. Gov. Chamberlain is a Democrat, and was easily elected Governor, although Oregon is a Republican State. He was nominated for United States Senator in a primary last summer, although his State went largely Republican in November. It is said that Gov. Chamberlain does not intend to relinquish his office until he takes the oath of Senator, and there will consequently be a period during which he will still be Governor after he leaves the State. In the Governor's absence it has been the practice for the Governor's Secretary to attend to official business, such as issuing official documents and signing the Governor's name. W. H. Gatens, the present Secretary, is understood to be slated for a Judgeship and will be succeeded as Secretary by Mrs. C. B. Shelton, who has been for several years the Governor's Stenographer. In accordance with precedent, Mrs. Shelton will be Acting Governor.

Mean Man.

A Georgia paper tells about the meanest man in that State as follows: "A farmer living a short distance from town, in a moment of weakness, the other day blew in 25 cents at a millinery store for a hat for his wife. On returning home he was so overcome with remorse that he went out to the barn and did the hangman act from one of the crossbeams. The hired man happened along just before the curtain dropped on the scene and promptly cut the old miser down. He revived and apparently repented of his rashness. At the end of the month, however, while expressing his appreciation of his employee's act, he qualified it by regretting the latter's extravagance in not untying the rope instead of cutting it, and docked the poor fellow the price thereof. The hired man believes that he cheated hell out of the meanest man on this side of the asbestos gates."

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis., "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Bells, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles. 25c at Paul Drug Co.



These are the only Bucklen's Arnica Salves sold in the United States that are of any value and of any use. They are of the same quality, and of the same price. Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the only one that has been used by the U. S. Army and Navy for over 50 years. It is the only one that has been used by the U. S. Army and Navy for over 50 years. It is the only one that has been used by the U. S. Army and Navy for over 50 years.

Beckhams in Florida.

Gov. J. C. W. Beckham is taking his first vacation in ten years. He left yesterday with Mrs. Beckham for Osprey, Florida, to spend a month in the land of oranges and flowers. Immediately after his two terms as chief executive of Kentucky, Governor Beckham buckled down to the practice of law and has been closely engaged ever since, and has, all his friends will be glad to know succeeded admirably both in winning cases and securing good fees. He has eminently won his right to a holiday and here's hoping that he and his lovely wife will enjoy it even as a honeymoon.—Frankfort Journal.

Like a Man.

That man "Exchange" says some mighty good things, occasionally, and here is one of them. "A newspaper is like a man—because generally it reflects some man—and it should be judged: largely and on the whole. No man lives a perfect life; no editor prints a perfect paper. If an editor is honest, he is bound to offend some one every day of his life; if he doesn't offend some one the editor is miffed—pamby and flabby. The same thing is true of the average man. A newspaper is bound to make mistakes; in getting news it must necessarily take hearsay. But if, in the long run and in the main, week after week and year after year, a paper stands for decency, for honest thinking and clean living, if it speaks fair for those who are trying to do good, and condemns sneaks and cheats and low persons that is a good paper."

The Kentucky Court of Appeals handed down a decision releasing insurance companies from liability for barns and tobacco burned by night riders. The case was a suit by the Imperial Tobacco Company against an insurance company for warehouses and tobacco burned in Caldwell county. The decision means that insurance companies will not be liable for property burned by night riders.

Obituary.

On Monday February 15, 1909, at seven o'clock a. m., the death angels came and claimed Mr. James W. Bird for his own, and took his spirit to a land from whence no traveler ever returns. He was a victim of pneumonia fever having been confined to his bed only twenty five days. All that loving hands and medical skill could do was done but the Lord saw fit to call him to the mansion prepared for his children.

The deceased was born Feb. 23, 1842, making him 67 years, 11 months and 7 days old. He was first married to Zura E. Cockrell, Feb. 5, 1862, to this union ten children were born, his wife and three children preceded him to the grave several years ago, seven are yet living, one resides in Iowa, one in Texas, and five at Glasgow Junction Ky. In 1907, he was married to Sarah G. Callison, of this county.

He was perfectly reconciled to God and died strong in the faith and love of him who came into the world to save that which was lost. We know of no one who bore afflictions and sickness more

patiently and submissively than he, the end came to him most peacefully.

The funeral services were held at the home of the deceased Monday afternoon by Revs. T. J. Campbell and Marion Antle, after which they left with the remains for Glasgow Junction, where the interment was. Peaceful be thy silent slumber, Peaceful in thy grave so low Thou no more will join our numbers, Thou no more our sorrows know.

Yet again we hope to meet thee When the days of life are fled, And in heaven with joy to greet thee, Where to farewell tears are shed. 'Tis hard to break the tender cord, Where love has bound the heart, 'Tis hard so hard to speak the words, We must forever part. Dearest loved one we must lay thee In thy peaceful grave's embrace, But thy memory will be cherished Till we see thy heavenly face.

A Niece

Obituary.

Another beautiful flower transplanted in the garden of God.

Emery Traylor Bybee, was born Sept. 13, 1908, died Feb. 13, 1909, age five months. He was taken with pneumonia fever and only lived about two weeks.

Little Emery was only with us long enough to bind our love to him until taken to a better world. He cannot come back to us but we can go to him. It was so hard to give him up, but we must all be submissive to the Masters will. We can almost hear that sweet little voice as it beacons papa and mamma to come and live with him. When the last moment came he looked up at us with those beautiful bright eyes, and with a smile his little spirit fled into eternity.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Breeding, and the little body was laid to rest in the family burying ground.

We miss those beautiful bright eyes and the smiling little face, but we know if we live as he commands us we will see him again.

Dear little Emery while hot tears was falling, Was taken away to the dark silent tomb, But that sweet baby voice from the shadow is calling, O come to the cross while for thee there is room.

His Loving Aunt, Birtie Traylor.

Ella.

Mr. Blom Barnett and son, of Absher, visited Mr. Robert Pike Saturday.

Newman Tarter, is at home from a short visit to Russell county.

Mrs. Lou Tarter who has been sick for some time is able to be out again.

Mrs. Mary Gooden is on the sick list.

Uncle Billie Bottoms who has been sick for some time is able to be out again.

Mr. Junius Holt is on the sick list.

C. C. Bottom of Russell county visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bottoms Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Pike who has been very sick with fever, is improving.

Mr. James Smiley who has been sick with pneumonia is improving.

Wheat is looking fine in this part of the section.

Misses Emma Ayres and Belle Corbin, were shopping at Eunice Saturday.

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Peroxide Hydrogen, Quarter pound 10cts, one pound 25cts
Ivory Soap, 3 cakes for 10c. Cuticure Soap, 17cts a bar
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WAS IT SECOND SIGHT?

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I'm only a pilot, but there are things I know as well as the highest science man. And this I know—that we're affected by influences we don't see. Some people call 'em spirits; others call 'em transference, or something like that, of thought. I don't know what they are. But one thing I do know, and that is something a good many people that know a lot more than I do know. I know these things that influences as are there. Can't nobody fool me on that point, and why I know it is this.

The biggest thing I ever was let into was the hurricane that swept Galveston in 1903. I happened to be in Chicago during the great fire of 1871, as I was there running a tug on the river and lake, but it was nothing but stage spectacle show compared with the Galveston flood. I'm not going to tell about that, only an incident that occurred in connection with it which has made me dead sure ever since that something or other we don't see often steps in and gives us a pointer.

We were some time getting our bearings after the storm was over, and it was a week before we began to reconnoiter the gulf to find out what wreckage from the harbor might be floating around there. One day, a small of a trim little steamer that wasn't wrecked, and I decided to go out to see what I could find. There was a good chance for salvage, though if I saved anything there was no money left to pay us for doing it. Anyway, I wanted to see what was out there.

The water was full of driftwood and wreckage, but there was nothing of any value, for most everything had been split into kindling stuff. Most of the stuff we saw was wreckage from cabins that had lined the shore. Pretty soon one of the men sighted a government buoy out to the southwest. It was out in deep water and had evidently broken loose from its moorings. The man who discovered it, and the others, for that matter, thought we might turn an honest penny by going for it and towing it in.

Now, they were right about it. We might as well have fished for worms. There wasn't any sense in letting go of a haul that was sure pay to hunt for something that probably wouldn't pay at all. The government was the only owner that could be counted on. Nevertheless I refused to go for the buoy. "Keep her straight ahead," I said, and why I said it I don't know. As I have remarked, the thing to have done was the other thing. It wasn't long before we saw among the wreckage dead ahead something that looked like a raft. I brought a glass bear on it, and after examining it awhile I concluded it was the floor of some cabin that the storm had wrecked. But what startled me was a boy on it. He was sitting with his head hanging down on his breast, clutching the planks with his hands.

I ran up to within sixty yards of him. The boy didn't change his position, and I didn't know whether he was dead or asleep till I rang the bell to stop her. Then he straightened up and stared at us with his hollow, hungry eyes. He had on no clothing but a shirt, indicating that he was in bed when the storm swept down on him, and was either alone or the others with him had been lost. He sat there without change of position, staring at us while we lowered a boat and pulled for him. When we reached him he had strength enough to climb into the boat, but before we could get him into the ship he fainted.

Not having a morsel of food aboard, I headed for land. On the way we had a frigate and not some brand and a can of condensed milk. A few spoonfuls of the milk had a very strengthening effect on the boy. We suffered till we reached quarantine, where I turned him over to the doctor. In a week he was all right again. Then, his people having been discovered and notified, an uncle came for him and took him away.

He was the son of an oysterman who lived on Grand Isle and when the storm came was alone in his father's cabin. It tore the hut to pieces, but left the boy on the floor unhurt. Then came the waters and floated him on his raft. But how or when he drifted away is a mystery. He could not have been in the turbulent waves during the storm or he never could have kept his place. But think of the little fellow drifting for seven days without food or water at the mercy of the sea! There are more things to be explained in this case than any I have ever met with. How did the boy come to be left on the floor of a cabin wrecked over his head by a hurricane? How did he escape the frightful waves that hurricane stirred up? How did he survive so long without food or water, shelter or, surviving, have the strength to hold on while drenched about on the gulf? You may search accounts of either land or sea disasters, and in neither will you find so remarkable an escape as this which pertains to both land and water. The explanation is that truth is stranger than fiction. The incident was an actual occurrence.

No one can make me believe, that there was not something we used to call it guardian angel—that knew of that poor boy, who, if not rescued within a few hours, would die. Mayhap it was a second sight in me, of which I was not conscious, that led me to refuse to go after that buoy and kept me on the track to relieve the sufferer.

LEONARD MALLEY.

SHOOTING IN SILENCE

Efficiency of Hiram P. Maxim's Sound Killer Proved.

DEVICE USED ON MANY GUNS.

Report of an Army Rifle With "Silencer" Attached Not Loud. "The Air Gun—Investor Says the Device Will Work Perfectly on Cannon."

Hiram Percy Maxim gave the first public demonstration the other day of his new rifle silencer, the latest of his inventions, before a group of newspapermen in the office of his firm's headquarters in New York city. The silencer reduced the report from the highest powered rifles of this and foreign countries to the noise made by the initial cleavage of the air and the "puck" of the bullet as it struck in a packed sand backdrop. The whole sound was no louder than that made by the discharge of an air rifle in an inclosed gallery.

There was on hand in the lawyers' office a collection of rifles ranging all the way from the little Winchester 22 repeater to the Springfield 30, the United States army rifle and the most powerful of its kind in the world. Taking the Winchester 22 first, Mr. Maxim fired a shot from the naked gun to give an idea of the report. Then he fired with the silencer attached. There was a click about as loud as one would make by snapping the trigger on an old fashioned musket.

"Now," said Mr. Maxim, "if you will analyze that noise under proper conditions you will find out that it consists of two noises, one produced by the impact of the bullet, the other by the cleavage of the air. You don't hear the gun at all, although you may think you do. The proof of this comes when you make a test under military conditions, with the target at a sufficient range, the impact of the bullet is not heard. Then you hear only the swish that comes from the initial cleavage of the air. At the target you hear the bullet strike and wait in vain for the report of the gun."

He went on next to test the silencer with a 22 Winchester automatic. The result was not as good with that weapon, because the ammunition chamber did not remain absolutely closed, and a certain report came from the breach of the weapon. But the silencer applied to a Winchester 30 high power sporting rifle reduced its report to the "puck" that an air gun might make.

The same was the case with a six millimeter Mauser military rifle, a seven millimeter Mauser, a 32-40 S&W, and a 30-06 S&W. In the case of Springfield 30, the new United States army rifle. The demonstration with the last gun was particularly convincing. After firing a couple of times with the silencer Mr. Maxim took a little wooden frame to which was attached by a metallic paper clip a card of the size of a playing card. He held by means of the frame immediately in front of the muzzle of the rifle, the card being so placed that the explosion of the gases not only blew the card to pieces, but shattered the wooden frame and put the paper clip out of commission. Then Mr. Maxim took another card, and having attached the silencer to the rifle, held it in his bare fingers in front of the muzzle. The gun was fired. Mr. Maxim exhibited a card with the "Mr." shot out of it as clearly as though the bullet had traveled its target distance. The card was not burned and only slightly discolored by the gases.

Mr. Maxim explained also that the silencer diminished by about 50 per cent the recoil of a gun on which it was used. He was asked if it could be applied successfully to larger ordnance and replied in the affirmative. Mr. Maxim declared that it would be easier to apply the silencer to cannon, up to the largest caliber, than to small arms. For the reason that the element of weight would not be a problem to reckon with.

The Maxim silencer, which is attached to the muzzle of the gun, has the outward appearance of a thin steel tube a little longer and greater in diameter than a box of stick shaving soap. It weighs for the heaviest caliber guns about eleven ounces and for the lighter ones seven or eight ounces. Cut it open and inside one sees ten or twelve little disks or chambers, penetrated somewhat above the center by a hole through the hole through the series of disks is larger than the diameter of the bullet, the gases accompanying it are caught by the first disk and by virtue of its shape rotated very rapidly. Centrifugal force makes them fly out toward the periphery of the disk inside the rotating ring, and it is only as they slow down that they can escape into the next disk, where the process is repeated. Thence the gases go into a third disk, then into the fourth, and so on until their force is entirely dissipated.

"It is just like stirring around a wash bowl full of water," explained Mr. Maxim. "You get it rotating fast enough and a hole will run right down through the center to the open escape pipe, but no water will run out."

The silencer is applied to the end of the barrel by means of a thread on which it screws.

McGaha.

The health of this community is fairly good.

A. B. and J. A. McGaha have got their big mill ready for running.

J. M. McGaha and family left the 15th for Texas. They don't know what county they will locate in.

George Sinclair has given the muskrats lots of trouble this winter hanging their paws in his traps. He has caught 30 up to this time.

John Gooden, of Purdy, is making the pikes live hard in Sulphur every clear day. He hooked up 15 Saturday evening.

Uncle Zach Burton went home with his son-in-law, Babe Powell, a week or so ago. Mr. Powell lives in Oklahoma.

William Streavel had a sale last Saturday. He will leave for Oklahoma soon.

J. T. Redmon was visiting at Pink McGaha's Sunday.

Dirigo.

The telephone line has been completed and boxes installed. So Dirigo is now in close touch with the outside world. Just ring 2 shorts and 2 longs and that will get here.

J. M. Campbell and Hiram Stotts spent two days in Columbia last week, having a steam engine repaired.

V. Sullivan, Columbia, and a Mr. Kiser, of Knoxville, Tenn., called on our merchants a few days ago.

Born, to the wife of Eldridge Stotts on the 18th Feb., a daughter.

W. R. Royce, of Rugby, was here a few days ago.

R. L. Campbell was at Fairplay last week on business.

Two horses belonging to John Gibson got in the same stall last Saturday and one killed the other.

We challenge the world for a more industrious fox hunter than J. G. Campbell. He keeps his pack well trained and when you want a chase just blow your horn and he is ready.

Since Mr. Turner seems to question the statements I made two weeks ago in regard to the farms of this section I must invite the gentleman to meet me in the office of the Adair County Clerk and I will show him records to substantiate every assertion I made. One farm in particular sold at those figures several times.

The last sale was made by the notable W. Godfrey Hunter for \$10,000. I challenge the gentleman to find a section anywhere else in Adair or adjoining counties where there is a larger number of acres that will produce as well as the section extending around Dirigo, Ky. We have plenty of land that this last year produced 8 to 10 barrels of corn to the acre. In the same section may be found fields that produce from 900 to 1200 pounds of tobacco per acre. Can you beat it anywhere? Yes, it's true, we have a surplus, and thus large areas are covered with sedge, sumac, dogwood, etc. But just remove that growth and you have land that will take the lead of any other section in Kentucky for corn or tobacco. So now, Mr. Turner, if this is not satisfactory just pay us a visit next July or August and see the crops growing.

ing. And if in need of a home, ten dollars per acre will buy you a farm that will grow more bushels of corn or more pounds of tobacco per acre than lands that would cost from \$75 to \$150 per acre in other sections. Yes, it is true, we are some distance from the world's markets and with poor transportation facilities, but bring the section back to where it should be and you will see pikes and railroads going in all directions. No, there are no pyramids or ruined cities in this section, but one or two of the spacious hewn log mansions yet stand as monuments to a remote age of prosperity. So now Mr. Turner, if this is not satisfactory just come and see for yourself, and may we not ask that you hunt up the old Paul Revere cap and tell us something about the "red headed woman" before long.

The Lurid Glow of Doom

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful pain from eczema had for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him. For Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Paul Drug Co."

Ruby.

The health of this community is not very good.

Misses Flora and Minnie Brake visited their sister, Mrs. James Rupe.

Mr. Clarence Harvey and wife visited T. J. Rossen Saturday and Sunday.

The farmers in this community are burning plant beds and plowing.

Mr. Lee Sparks and sister, Miss Emma, visited their grandfather at Fairplay recently.

Messrs. S. W. H. Petty and Joe Brake were in Columbia last Thursday.

Willie Bennett, of Dirigo, visited at G. W. Sparkes' last week.

Mr. Alvin Chesney is visiting his son at this place this week.

Robt. Murphey was at this place last week.

Miss Ida Loy, of Cadberry, is visiting the family of G. W. Curry this week.

Annie Sparkes is on the sick list this week.

Lee and Tim Sparkes visited at J. W. McClister's Wednesday night.

Mrs. Manda Harvey is improving slowly.

A. D. Sparkes is visiting his grand parents who have been very low for the past two weeks. They are improving nicely.

Winston Rowe was in this community this week buying hogs at 4 cents per pound.

J. A. Wheeler, of Sparksville, made a trip to this place last Thursday.

Lee Harvey and his brother are visiting at this place this week.

John Gipson had bad luck last Saturday night. His stallion broke out of his stall and killed a brood mare.

It was reported that Mr. Willie Bean had his son heating the shovel and keeping his feet warm until 10 o'clock in the night while he was listening to his new telephone.

As news is scarce I will ring off for this time.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce that N. H. W. Aaron, of Casey county, is a candidate for Circuit Judge in this the 29th Judicial district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce that Mr. J. C. Carter, of Monroe county, is a candidate for the office of Circuit Court Judge in this the 29th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce Geo. M. Miller, of Monroe county, a candidate for Circuit Judge in this the 29th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce A. A. Huddleston, of Cumberland county, a candidate for re-nomination to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney in this the 29th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce H. S. Vanzant, of Metcalfe county, a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in the 29th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce that W. F. Price is a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce Fred McLean, a candidate for the office of clerk of the Adair circuit court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce N. H. Moss, of the Gradyville country, a candidate for the office of County Judge of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce that Junus Hancock is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce G. P. Smythe is a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

We are authorized to announce that Mrs. Georgia R. Shelton is a candidate for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce that Miss Pearl Hindman is a candidate for Superintendent of Schools of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce that Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., is a candidate for Sheriff of Adair County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce T. C. Davidson is a candidate for Jailer of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce that W. J. Bottom, of the Knifley section, is a candidate for the office of Assessor of Adair County, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Wolford is a candidate for the office of Assessor of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

The State Farmers Institute was held at Elizabethtown last week, many prominent speakers being present. Elizabethtown gave the farmers a royal welcome. The city was handsomely decorated with flags and bunting, and the latch string was on

the outside of every door. There is not a more hospitable city in Kentucky than the capital of Hardin, and when her citizens undertake to do anything, failure is not considered.

It is a pity that the farmers of the State in their meeting at Elizabethtown had to have political feeling to enter their counsels. If their is one thing more destructive of the common good and peace of the State than political feeling we have no knowledge of it. The farmers in their meetings should not think of politics nor should they allow any politician to enter their counsels. Those who till the soil only should be eligible.

The heaviest downpour of rain for many years fell in Kentucky last Tuesday week. Every river and creek overflowed, and great damage was done to the logging interest in the eastern portion of the State, as many rafts were lost. Along the lowlands of many of the streams the residents were forced to leave their homes, and the falling temperature occasioned much suffering among the people.

By a strict party vote the House laid on the table a resolution providing for an investigation of the act of Secretary of State Bacon in sending an apology to the Republic of Panama for remarks by Mr. Rainey on the floor of the House.

Louisville is soon to have a twenty story building, but no guarantee of drawing more trade from the interior of the country. It would doubtless be better to penetrate its territory with more railroads instead of punching holes in the sky.

The trial of the Coopers and John D. Sharp charged with the murder of the late Senator Carmack, is still on at Nashville. The case will be given to the jury this month. We predict that a verdict will not be reached.

The Aldrich bill providing means for the re-enlistment of negro soldiers who were discharged without honor on account of participating in the Brownsville affray was passed by the Senate and House.

Miss Sylvia Green, daughter of Mrs. Hettie Green, of New York, was married at Morristown, N. J., at noon Tuesday of last week to Matthew Astor Wilks.

The substitution of the Taft smile and the Billie Possum for the Teddy frown and the Teddy bear does not promise relief or guarantee better public conditions.

To-morrow Mr. Taft will become the President of the United States. Washington is full of visitors to witness the inauguration.

The revision of the tariff is to have passage in a special.

Joseph H. Stone,
Attorney-At-Law

Will practice in this and adjoining counties.

Jamestown, Kentucky.

Lula.

Health of this community is very good at this writing.

Rev. Pennyfunt filled his regular appointment at this place last Sunday, preaching a fine discourse.

Miss Ermine Bell spent last Sunday night with Misses Lula and Lizzie Jones.

Mr. Norman Faulkenburg and sister, Nellie, of Bart, Miss Alga Kenneth, Tom and Odie Kenneth and Mr. Wheeler Tabor, of Stokes, spend last Saturday night at Mr. E. P. Kenneth's.

Mr. S. S. Jones and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father, Mr. P. B. Cooper.

Mr. Adeline Stokes has gone to Burnside with a drove of hogs.

Mr. W. A. Jones and J. C. Burchett have been rafting logs on Greasy creek for the past few days.

Mr. Preston Long and family, were visiting at Mr. J. E. Cooper's Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Sue Burchett, the little daughter of Samuel Burchett, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Bell.

Mr. Clayton Long, of Cartwright, was in this community a few days ago buying hogs.

Mr. Billie Dowell and little daughter, Mazie, of Somerset, have come to live with his mother. Mr. Dowell will put up a new blacksmith shop in the near future.

Mr. Farris Cook was clerking for Mr. Marion Dappert Saturday.

Mr. Hiram Ballou's barn was struck by lightning last Saturday night, burnt the barn, five head of horses, all his farming tools and about two hundred barrel of corn.

Miss Lizzie Rankin spent last Monday with Misses Linnie and Maggie Smith.

Thurlow.

Born, to the wife of Asa Carter February the 23rd, a girl.

Henry Gupton visited his sister, Mrs. Geo. Perkins Monday night.

Marcus Hood of Bliss, visited the family of J. E. Loy from Saturday until Monday, and attended church at Mt. Lebanon.

Mr. Robt. Phillips, of Pierce, attended church at Mt. Lebanon Sunday and visited at Mr. James Phillips.

Mr. Ed Arnett has been appointed to take up the stock on the highways and on their neighbor's property. He is getting a great deal of work to do.

The Equity Society meets once a week and is growing in membership very fast.

Mr. Joe Pierce recently purchased the school house and let near here, formerly used by the colored people, from Capt. E. F. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Strader visited in the Pierce community from Saturday till Monday.

T. C. Loy, of this place, and B. F. Loy, of Greensburg, visited at Glenville and on Crocus several days last week.

Whooping cough is still in the community, but none has proven fatal yet.

J. E. Loy and Willie Henderson are still suffering with rheumatism.

The torrents of rainfall last Tuesday caused the earth to look

almost like a solid body of water. Green River is said to be much higher than it has been for many years. The water came within eight feet of the floor of the new bridge at Berry's Ferry, which is just below the mouth of Russell's Creek. The water spread over the bottoms on the north side of the bridge until it covered the fill and the lower end of the trussell work and became pastfording in the road hence there has been no travel to Greensburg from this way for two days; not even the mail.

Joppa.

The farmers of this community are nearly though breaking corn ground.

Mrs. Eliza Powell fell last Monday and hurt her self mightily bad, but is some better at this writing.

The singing at Zion the third Sunday was largely attended, conducted by Prof. R. O. Cabell. Lillian, the little daughter of Mr. Willie Powell is very sick with fever.

The Sunday school at Zion is progressing nicely with Mr. G. B. Yates as Supt.

Mrs. J. P. Willis and daughter, Miss Addie, Mrs. Fannie Montgomery, and two daughters, Misses Sallie Bet and Mattye, visited at Mr. Montie Montgomery's one day last week.

Mr. Willis A. Brockman started to school at the L. W. T. S. the last of February.

Miss Mattye Young is sick with fever.

Mr. H. P. Barger covered his wood shed last week.

The rain last Monday night and Tuesday was the hardest rain since June 1909, it took all the fencing from Glenville to Russell creek.

Miss Lutta Barger, was at home from Friday until Monday, accompanied by Miss Frona Mae Christie from the L. W. T. S.

Miss Effie Conover is sick with lragrippe.

Mr. Hershel Barger and little daughter, Mattie, visited at Mrs. Geo. O. Powell's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Willis visited at Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Willen last Sunday.

Misses Lutta Barger, Frona Christie and Elus Barger, were calling at this place Saturday. Misses Lutta and Frona are attending the L. W. T. S.

There will be singing at Zion Friday night, and Sunday afternoon, March the 5 and 7th, every body invited to attend.

Pickett.

The whooping cough in this section is getting about over.

Dr. L. C. Nell was called to see Nellie, the little daughter, of W. H. Kemp one day last week.

W. G. Pickett is fixing to build him a large tobacco barn in the near future.

Willie Rodgers who has been sick for some time is no better.

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Milltown.

Mr. Harvey Blakeman was visiting in Greensburg Saturday.

Mr. Cassius Breeding and wife, of Little Lake, visited relatives here several days last week.

Miss Annie Lizzie Blakeman visited relatives at Thurlow Sunday.

Mr. Fate Davis and wife, of Portland, visited at T. J. Mercers one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hindman visited Mrs. Pate Thomas Sunday.

Mable, a little daughter of Mr. George Beard, burned to death here the 16th. There was no one in the house at the time she burned. It is supposed that she fell out of a chair into the fire. She was eight years old, and was loved by all who knew her.

The recent rains put Russell's Creek to an enormous height here. It got into the houses of George Beard and John Butler, but there was no damage done. All day Wednesday there was no passing from the bridge to the stores and post office.

Edith.

Green River was out of it's banks last Wednesday. This being the highest tide for about twenty-five years. A great deal of damage was done to fencing and hay. You could see whole stacks of hay going down the river. The only loss of stock we have heard of was five head of cattle belonging to G. A. Dunbar.

Mr. Owen Pelley, the poultry man, of Pellyton, passed this place one day last week.

Mr. H. A. Weatherington, of Clementsville, was in this neighborhood one day last week.

Misses Bertha and Lelia Lay were the pleasant guests of Miss Fannie Evans last Sunday.

Mr. I. C. Harmon, our merchant, was forced to leave his store from last Wednesday until Thursday, and go to his dwelling which was on higher land. He only had but one customer during the time, and his business was to take Mr. Harmon and family to the hills.

Roy.

Several from this place attended church at Clear Spring Sunday.

The Sunday school at White Oak is progressing nicely.

Mr. J. S. Stapp is no better at this writing.

Mr. C. F. Breeding made a business trip to Cumberland river a few days ago.

There will be preaching at White Oak every first Sunday by Rev. Gridler.

The candidates are hustling. We see them pass through every once in a while.

Edgar Royce and sister, Elmor, visited friends and relatives near Garlin, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sila Royce was called to the bedside of her mother a few days ago.

Mr. J. L. Conover has been in feeble health for several days.

There seems to be no change in Mrs. Jennie Breeding's condition.

Pellyton.

Green River was higher last

week than it has been for twenty years. A great deal of fencing was washed away.

Mrs. Nannie Rubarts underwent an operation last week for cancer. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. Joe Garrison, who lived at Dunnville died the 25th, a victim of consumption.

Lila, the little daughter of W. R. Mings is very low with whooping cough.

Mr. N. T. Jones was at Knifley last week.

Mr. G. W. Rubarts left last Friday for Mofeland.

Mr. Hartfield Moss, of Gradyville, was here this week. He is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county Judge.

At this time, we are having fine weather, and our people are talking of burning plant beds.

Those of our people who left Kentucky and are taking the good old reliable Adair County News will appreciate the news from their old home.

Nell.

Messrs. F. A. Strange and Ruel Shives, of Rugby, were at this place last Monday on business.

Mr. T. A. Combs and wife spent last Sunday at Mr. S. R. Walker's.

Miss Lula Moss, of Weed, spent last Saturday night with Misses Mary and Cary Hamilton.

The creek at this place was higher last Tuesday than it has been since the flood in 1907.

Jimmie and Deering Hamilton visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Royse, last Saturday night.

Dr. Menzies, of Columbia, preached a very interesting sermon at Mosby's Ridge last Sunday.

Born, to the wife of Warren Moore, on the 16, twin boys.

Mr. Joe Moore, of Weid, who has been quite sick, is much improved.

Uncle Bryant Wilson will preach at this place the 2nd Sunday in March.

Woody and Fred Wilson, who were scalded very badly, are getting along very nicely at this writing.

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No. 29	9:30 am	12:12 pm
No. 31	10:45 am	1:27 pm
No. 32	12:00 pm	2:42 pm

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TRAIN	LV. LEBANON	AR. LOUISVILLE
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No. 35	9:00 am	12:15 pm
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PERSONAL

Rev. A. R. Kasey has returned from Albany.

Mrs. L. B. Hurt has returned from Lebanon.

Miss Laura Rosenbaum has returned from Virginia.

Mr. A. G. Norris, Louisville, was here a few days ago.

Miss Rachel Hancock, of Cana Valley, was quite sick last week.

Miss Clara Wilmore, Gradyville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Walker.

Mr. Ben Boyse, wife and daughter, called at the News office last Thursday.

Mr. Jerome Hurt returned from New Mexico Friday night, having proven on his claim.

Mr. John Q. Alexander was here Thursday, en route to his home in Campbellville.

Mr. W. W. Hopkins, of near Albany, visited his son, who is in school here, last week.

Mr. J. Mack Frazer, Somerset, is spending a few days with his wife and daughter here.

Mrs. L. C. Hart and Mrs. L. L. Eubank returned from Cincinnati last Wednesday night.

Mr. J. A. Young spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. J. W. Young, of Fairplay.

Mr. E. S. Pemberton, Horse Cave, and Mr. Owen Gaines, Campbellville, were here Monday.

Miss Nancy Flowers, who has been in Paducah for several months, returned home last week.

Mrs. Sallie Bradshaw left Monday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Hancock, Frankfort.

Ray, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Feese, who has been sick for the past week, is some better.

'Squire C. C. Roe, of this county, is now doing special revenue service, and is stationed at Athertonville, Ky.

Mr. Jo Murray returned from New Mexico Friday night. He reports he left his brother, Albin, almost well.

Messdames G. H. Nell and J. H. Yates, Gradyville, went to Louisville Monday and will purchase a stock of millinery.

Mr. T. C. Davidson and wife returned from Athertonville last Friday night. Mr. Davidson is off duty for the present.

Mr. Claud Montgomery, who has been doing special work in the revenue service, is now off duty and is at home.

Dr. L. C. Nell left Monday morning for Washington, D. C., and will be present at the inauguration of Mr. Taft.

Miss Katie Murrell returned from Jamestown yesterday. She left her cousin, Mrs. O. D. Smith, very much improved.

Mrs. J. P. Scruggs, of Midway, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Jas. Garnett, and family, left for her home Monday forenoon.

Ed. Z. T. Williams returned from Louisville Thursday night. He reported that his son, Dr. L. E. Williams, was improving rapidly.

Mr. W. T. Price and wife were in Louisville last week, the latter assisting her sister, Miss Julia Eubank, in selecting millinery for this market.

Mr. Harry Harvey left for Louisville last week, in which city he met his brother, Mr. John T. Harvey, and from there they went to Denver Colorado.

Mr. A. G. Todd, this place, received a dispatch Monday morning stating that his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Spiller, Voca, Texas, was lying dangerously ill. Mr. Todd left at once.

Mr. J. W. Hoskins, Campbellville, was here Monday to secure a lot upon which to make brick and to engage wood. Mr. Hoskins has the contract to do the brick work on the Russell block.

Mr. E. R. Feese, while operating a planning machine at Payne's mill last Monday, met with the misfortune of dislocating his right thumb. Dr. W. R. Grissom set the fractured thumb and at present is doing well.

Mr. J. C. Carter, Republican candidate for Circuit Judge in this district, and Mr. A. A. Huddleston, candidate for reelection to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney, were in Columbia Saturday, en route for Liberty.

Mr. Cleo Sherrill, who has been engaged in the barber business here, sold out his shop to Mr. G. T. Flowers, Jr., and left for Louisville last Saturday where he will purchase a barbering outfit and go to Monticello where he will again take up his former occupation.

Breeding.

The mail carrier failed to make his appearance in our town last Wednesday on account of high water.

Clarence Yates, son of J. C.

Yates, who has been confined to his bed so long is much improved.

Dr. G. T. Simpson was called to the bedsides of W. Yarberry last Tuesday who is very sick.

Messrs. J. D. Lowe, P. V. Grissom, E. G. Atkins and J. Q. Alexander, all traveling men, made our town last Wednesday.

J. H. Jones and S. P. Fletcher raised 7,763 pounds of dark tobacco on six acres of land, and sold it for \$495.32. They are preparing for another crop.

Two and one-half months until time to set tobacco, and a majority of the farmers in this vicinity have not burned their plant beds, and as Night Riders were reported to have visited some of the farmers, they may be glad that it is too wet to burn beds. An excuse you know.

Mrs. R. P. Breeding is on the sick list.

Rev. J. F. Turner preached a very interesting sermon at Mt. Pleasant Sunday on the life of Christ which was well received by a large and attentive audience.

We have one of the best Adult Bible Classes in Adair county. Every Sunday School should organize one. It is worth while. Try it. The name of our class is Shining Lights.

J. F. Fletcher visited his son, S. P. Fletcher, last Saturday.

Prof. T. B. and E. S. Yates, of Moss, Tenn., are visiting their brother, J. C. Yates, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jessie are at the bedside of the latter's brother, Clarence Yates, this week.

Sam Lewis, of your city, passed through here one day last week with a load of feathers and furs. He is a hustler.

Nell.

Dave, a little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Walker who has been quite sick for a few days, has about recovered.

Mrs. Mary Bell, after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Taylor, near Joppa returned home Monday.

Rev. Wilson, of Prices Creek, failed to fill his appointment at this place last Sunday on account of rain.

Misses Inez and Mary Hamilton, and brother, attended preaching at Mosby's Ridge Sunday.

Mr. Gifford Hamilton and family, of Red Lick, were visitors at S. R. Walker's last Sunday.

Quite a number of plant beds have been burned in this section and more to be burned when the ground gets dry enough.

Mrs. C. C. Kinnaird who has been sick for a few days, we are glad to report improved.

Dr. James Menzies, of Columbia, filled his regular appointment at Mosby's Ridge Sunday.

Farmers are getting behind with their work, on the account of too much rain.

Messrs. R. H. Kinnaird and Leonard Walker attended preaching at Mosby's Ridge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Combs, spent Sunday at S. R. Walker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jones who have been down with La-grippe for some time are on the road to recover.

The rain that fell here last Tuesday caused the creek to get very high, and considerable damage was done, washing off a great deal of fencing besides washing land that had been broke.

A Schoolboy's Reflection on Lincoln and His Birth Place.

(Blue and White Columbia, Ky.)

This is Lincoln's birthplace. And this is the dawn of his hundredth birthday that finds me standing near the humble cabin which sheltered his infancy.

The objects about me are intensely interesting for I feel that in some way they are associated with Lincoln's childhood. That Spring is especially interesting. For often while Lincoln was a child he played about its sparkling fountain or sat near it and listened to its splash as it rippled over that rock and fell in the cavern beneath.

Under that stately oak above the spring the young hero often played or climbed among its branches. On the brink of that still hole he has stood many times and cast in stones to hear them splash in the subterranean stream far below.

As I step toward the cabin I think how often the childish feet of Lincoln have pressed every inch of this poor soil. In the dull gray of early morning I entered the cabin,—the Haly of Holies.

As I stood in that little darkened room I felt somewhat like Moses must have felt when he approached the burning bush; for such a feeling of awe and reverence came over me as I never felt before. Inspired by my surroundings I seated myself and wrote:

"One hundred years ago today, in this very cabin where I now sit, a baby was born and over the rugged path of a miserable fate he came to the threshold of young manhood, brushing away the tears with the palm of his rough hand he saw a tablet of Fame and wrote his name upon it and then died a Martyr in the arms of a nation."

I see this cabin as it appeared that day. In this gaping fireplace a roaring fire burns, but the throat of the chimney is so broad that most of the heat escapes. Through the numerous cracks the sharp biting air of Winter pours in. Over the fire a pot of game boils. I can almost hear its greasy gurgles. Over that door a long flint-lock rifle reposes and near it hangs a deer skin shot pouch. In this corner is the meal barrel and near it a rude table on which a few plain dishes lie.

The only evidence of literary taste is that well worn Bible on the mantel. On that rude bed in the corner lies God's grandest creation—a mother. A noble pride glows on her face. Pride for that little, crying, squirming infant in her arms.

Little does she dream that one hundred years from this day a nation will gather on this spot to honor the memory of that child and her.

But little she dreams that in the space of a hundred years this cabin and this spot will be the sacred shrine of a proud nation. It never entered her mind that a hundred years from now a President of the United States, one of the world's most popular men, will count it the highest honor to him to be allowed to step inside this cabin, to stand near it and lay the cornerstone of a Memorial Hall which will preserve these sacred legs and make the name of Lincoln dear as long as a trace of this mighty race trends the earth.

All this is foreign to her mind, and what difference does it make to her? No doubt she loves her child just the same. And the rough father is proud because he has a son who, in a few years will be able to help subdue the wilderness and make a living for the family.

If that father and mother could have looked into the eyes of that child and read his destiny therein, they would have been awed. They would almost have been afraid of their child. It was well that, that child's destiny was still hidden in the womb of the future.

No no trumpets were sounded, nor no flags were waved to announce the coming of this young sovereign to an humble home. The only ones interested in the event were the immediate family and the kind neighbors, who, as an act of charity ministered to the wants of the mother during her trying ordeal.

But the child grew. He drank in the pure air of honesty and ambition. His path to manhood was as rough as was ever trod by mortal. He accepted the task assigned him by the nation. He accomplished his work then passed over the river to his reward. He raised himself by sheer force of character. Whether the task assigned him was hoeing corn, making rails, pleading at the bar, or guiding the ship of state through the whirlpools and breakers of internal strife, that task received the best energy of his being.

Here my writing was interrupted by a guard who wanted to see my Government pass. Not possessing this commodity, I was invited out of the cabin.

The crowd, gathering in the big tent, afforded a fine study of human nature as well as some amusement. The monotonous hum of voices was varied at intervals by the loud talk of a drunken man—presumably from some of the Northern States—and an occasional yell of some college students. When I heard those yells I wished for some of our Lindsey boys that we might answer them.

But when I looked out over that sea of humanity no familiar face greeted my gaze. I felt lonely among ten thousand.

But at last the orators of the day arrived. After the cheering had subsided they delivered their addresses which, no doubt, were fine productions. But they seemed to lack fervor and high thought that such surroundings should have inspired. Instead of apples of gold in pitchers of silver, the speeches seemed rather like apples of silver in pitchers of gold. The exercises finished with the laying of the cornerstone.

This day, spent on the farm that produced a real man, I consider a red letter day of my life; a day cherished in memory; a day of inspiration. With a last, long, lingering look around the old cabin, I turned my steps back toward the dear old Lindsey-Wilson.

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Last fall and early winter, before we had decided to close out our stock, we had placed large orders with shoe manufacturers for our entire spring lines of shoes. These orders were not subject to countermand, hence, we had to let them come on.

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Ladies' Oxfords, English Ties, Pumps, Buttons, &c. in all the New Colors and Leathers.

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We will continue to sell this new stock also at a sacrifice, and advise you to come at once and buy your spring shoes. This is the best opportunity you will have to buy them cheap.

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A Gentleman Burglar

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The burglar was standing at the sideboard, pouring himself a glass of wine from a decanter. He wore a mask and overalls. A click at the knob of the door behind him arrested his attention. He turned, glass in hand, and faced a young lady in evening dress.

"There was something very unlike the class to which the burglar belonged in his country home."

"You surprise me," he said, "I did not expect to find any of the family up at this time of night. I am about to take a glass of wine. Will you permit me to pour one for you?"

"You will find the silver kept for daily use in that drawer," pointing to the sideboard. "Take it all and welcome. Don't go upstairs. You will frighten every one dreadfully."

"I don't need more than one piece," said the burglar, "but it must bear the initials of its present owner."

"Only one piece! May I ask the cause of such a modest demand? I was not aware that burglars took such frightful risks to intentionally leave the plunder behind."

"Whether it was the burglar's courtly manner, his well modulated voice or an air about him indicating that he had been to the manner born, the girl ceased to be afraid of him."

"Perhaps," she added, "you are some respectable man who has been led into this life by force of circumstances and, unaided by conscience, you confine yourself to a very small robbery, just enough to gain the means for a meal. I can give you money instead. In which there is nothing to betray you. That would be much better than to take a piece of silver with my mark on it."

"Your kind thoughtfulness delights me. But money is no object to me—at least your money. I can make more by taking these suggestions than you. They didn't cost \$10. They are worth \$500 to me."

"Five hundred?"

"Yes, and if I don't get away with them or some other article in this drawer it will cost me \$500—in other words, there is a difference to me of \$1000."

"You are joking."

"Ethel!" called a man's voice from the hall above.

"You, father?"

"What are you doing down there. Go to bed."

"Tell him," whispered the burglar, "that you are getting some refreshment."

"I'm getting some refreshment," she repeated.

"Who is with you? I heard some one talking."

"Say a gentleman who met during the evening who came with you and whom you asked in."

"That would be a fib."

"Well, then, say a gentleman friend of yours."

"That would be a worse fib. I don't make friends with burglars."

"There was a soldier of burglars flung on the stairs. The burglar pulled off his mask and threw it under the dining table, then, unbuckling his overalls at the back of his neck, they fell to the floor, and he kicked them under the sideboard. He was in evening dress, his bosom covered with eczema. Scarcely had the change of costume been made than an old gentleman in dressing gown and slippers entered the room.

"Father," stammered the girl, "this is Mr. Merryman. He was at Mrs. Appleton's this evening, and he kindly says so."

Mr. Merryman bowed. The old gentleman bowed stiffly and said to his daughter:

"I didn't hear any one with you when you came in."

"Didn't you, father?"

"I have no my fingers," said Mr. Merryman. "They exclude water and have the advantage of making no noise."

"Convenient for thieves," remarked Miss Ethel, "but whose eyes there was now dancing merriment."

"Your daughter kindly asked me in for a glass of wine," said the intruder. "Can I induce you to join me, sir?"

At this master stroke of impudence Miss Ethel repressed a smile, and her father repressed an exclamation of dissatisfaction. With a "No, I thank you," he turned on a heel and went upstairs.

"Bob Merryman," exclaimed the girl, "what does this mean?"

"It means this: After the last time you favored me in the cotton—the hedge here—I left Mrs. Appleton's for the club. There I met a party of fellows, and after a lot of talk I bet I've phoned that I would burglarize your father's house, bringing away some article of silver properly marked as evidence of the burglary. You interrupted me in my honest work of making money enough to buy wine and cigars for a month, and unless you let me get away with the proof instead of winning I'll lose an equal amount."

"Upon my word! What pranks you men will be up to! Take the sugar tongs."

"Thank you very much. Let me see. Are these your father's initials?"

"My mother's."

"I'll return it tomorrow or, rather, today. Good evening. Much obliged for your kindness."

The next afternoon the tongs were returned with a toy trunk full of candy and a note requesting that conversation social service prevented the donor from dividing his winnings with the young lady who helped him to win.

MARY A. BOWEN.

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How Denman Thompson Welcomed a Distinguished Visitor.

HIS QUICKNESS AT REPARTEE

Next Illustration of It on a Railway Journey—Why a Janitor Declined His Generosity—His Great Love For Animals.

One summer Senator and Mrs. Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire visited Keene, N. H., and, learning that Denman Thompson, the veteran actor of "Old Homestead" fame, was at his home in Swanzey and being a great admirer of Mr. Thompson and his play, the senator expressed a wish to meet him off the stage and to see his fine home. An old friend of Mr. Thompson offered to drive down. Therefore on one fine morning they drove down to Mr. Thompson's home.

He came out without coat or hat, hands behind his back, as usual. The following conversation ensued:

Denman—How do you do, Bill?

Bill—How are you, Den? Mr. Thompson, I want to introduce Senator and Mrs. Gallinger.

Senator Gallinger—Mr. Thompson, I have witnessed your great production, the "Old Homestead," many times and always with the greatest pleasure, but I want to say it is with still greater pleasure that I am permitted to greet you in your own beautiful home in old Swanzey.

Denman—Yes, it's cheaper.

Mr. Thompson's quickness at repartee is well illustrated by an incident which took place during a run from Keene to one of the smaller towns in Michigan. Mr. Thompson had hired a sleeper to get him to the company's destination, and while making a stop at one of the intermediate stations, Uncle Josh left the car and, going into the depot, satisfied his craving for some raw oysters. On coming out he noticed one of the railroad employees underneath the sleeper measuring the distance between the wheels.

"What are you doing there, my friend?" asked Uncle Josh.

"Measuring the trucks to see if this car will run O. K. on the side branch that you have to travel over."

"That's all right, but I've hired this car to get me to a certain point, and if you don't get me there it will be a measure for measure."

The following incident occurred when Mr. Thompson was playing one night during the middle west. The night the performance was to be given in a certain town there was such terrific snow that not one vehicle turned out to the theater with the exception of one man.

Undaunted by a "one man audience," Thompson, stepping before the curtain, told the lone listener that they intended to give the performance from beginning to end, as though the hall were full.

"The best thing for me," he addressed to play that night and that, to prove the company was thoroughly honest and always ready to give a "fair deal," they would start the performance at the usual time.

This was too much for the audience, who had listened nervously to the remarks, so he shouted out: "Say, cut it out, will you? I am the janitor, and I want to go home early."

A few years ago Denman Thompson was discussing with a party of friends a certain automobile race.

"They hadn't any right," said one of the party, "to throw the winner of the highway which they are paying taxes for."

In reply the actor told this story: "A few days after the race," he said, "I happened to be driving over part of the same course. I stopped at a farmhouse and asked to be allowed to give the horse water."

"What did you think of the automobile race? I asked my genial host."

"The best thing for me that ever happened," replied the farmer.

"What?" I exclaimed. "I thought all you farmers were against it."

"Not me," said the farmer. "You see, I got a balky mule that draws my stuff into market every morning. Yesterday morning that mule balked half way to the market. Couldn't get him to stir. While I was trying to coax him I saw a strange thing lying in the roadway—sort of a rubber thing. I picked it up and accidentally squeezed it."

It let out a terrible noise, just like one of those machines, and that mule started, me on the tailboard, and never stopped till it got to the ferry. I brought it home, and I showed it to Mandie, and we squeezed it and squeezed it."

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General News.

Forty-nine men were fined \$10 each for carrying on a cock fight in a New York saloon.

Seventy-four persons were drowned in a shipwreck on the coast of New Zealand.

An earthquake in Western Persia destroyed sixty villages and from five to six thousand lives.

An effort to get a bill through Congress to abolish death punishment in the United States failed.

Andrew Carnegie has given \$100,000 to the Cincinnati libraries, making his total gifts there \$280,000.

Cincinnati now has 21 miles of river front and may add eight more by annexing suburban towns.

Walter Lotz, a leading Indiana lawyer, sued his wife for divorce on the grounds that she hurt his law practice.

A bill for the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as separate States has passed the Lower House of Congress.

Alfonso, King of Spain, is arbitrating a dispute between England and Germany over their territory in Southern Africa.

While talking to a German princess at Berlin, King Edward of England, fainted and was unconscious several minutes.

The Waters-Pierce Oil Co. has paid the State of Missouri the fine of \$50,000 recently imposed upon it for violating the anti-trust laws.

Geromino, the noted Apache Chief, died at Ft. Sill, Okla., where he had been a prisoner of war for several years. He was 85 years old.

Illinois and Wisconsin Legislatures are still deadlocked and little prospect of electing a United States Senator is shown in either.

An extra session of Congress will be convened on March 15. President-elect Taft wants Congress to take up the tariff question.

The trial of the Coopers for the killing of Senator Carmack, at Nashville, is in progress. Three thousand veniremen were summoned before a jury was secured. The trial is causing intense excitement in the Tennessee capital, as sensational testimony is expected which may implicate other prominent people besides the Coopers and former Sheriff Sharp. The Commonwealth will try to show a deep conspiracy against Carmack.

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OBITUARY.
On Thursday morning February 18th, at 8:30 o'clock the Grim Reaper Death, entered our community and claimed as its own the spirit of Irvin Sanders. For almost a year he patiently yielded to the grasp of that fatal disease, consumption. He was in his 57th year. He joined the Christian church at Pleasant Hill several years ago, but had drifted away as many do. For some time he had been living a devoted Christian.

He leaves a dear companion

alone in this unfriendly world, but we would say to her to ever look to Jesus so she may meet her companion where parting will be no more. We know that a dark day will come to every home, but it should be a sweet trouble to his companion in her sad hours of bereavement to give up to Him who doeth all things well, and who guardeth his loved ones against anything that would mar their happiness.

While here we were cared for by earthly friends, but what is that compared with the care of a Heavenly Father? He is now asleep in the arms of Jesus, dreaming of the sweet Angels that bore him across the silvery waters.

While we feel satisfied that his name is written in pure gold in the Lamb's Book of Life, we feel that we should not mourn our loss but rather rejoice. Were the power given him he would look down on the grief-stricken companion and say: weep not for me, but live uprightly in the sight of God, that you may be able to meet me in Heaven where parting will be no more.

The funeral services were conducted by Bro. Porter Murrell, and the remains were interred in the Dice grave yard to await the resurrection.

A. J. Combest.

Sparksville.

The health of this community is very bad at this writing.

The little daughter of Mr. McGinnis is very sick at this writing.

The little son of Mr. Dolphus Wheeler got very bad cut with a ax last week.

The wife of Robert Christie, of near Pollyton, died one day last week with lung trouble. She will be missed in this community. She leaves four brothers Dud, Tom, Dave and Theo. Jones. She was about twenty six year old and belonged to the Methodist church.

A little daughter of Mr. G. Jones died with whooping cough last week.

Wooten brothers, moved their mill back to Sparksville one day last week.

Charlie Herriford was in our midst one day last week.

Rev. J. F. Black will preach here the fourth Sunday.

Elderly People

Kept Free

The last years of life are the sweetest, and yet the most difficult to prolong. It is then that the greatest care is exercised in maintaining bodily health. But the chief care should always be with regard to the food you eat and whether you are digesting it properly. You should not allow yourself to become constipated.

No doubt you have tried salts and cathartics, pills, purgatives, and so on, and have come to the conclusion that they are violent in action and do but temporary relief. Listen, then, to the voice of experience in action and see how a free sample bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is not only a safe remedy to find new friends for it.

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George Washington lived two years and nine months after retirement.

John Adams lived twenty-five years and three months.

Thomas Jefferson lived seventeen years and three months.

James Madison lived nineteen years and three months.

James Monroe lived six years and four months.

John Quincy Adams lived nineteen years and served in the House of Representatives.

Andrew Jackson lived eight years and three months.

Martin Van Buren lived twenty-one years and four months.

William Henry Harrison died precisely one month after his inauguration, April 4th, 1841.

John Tyler lived seventeen years after his retirement.

James K. Polk lived three months.

Zachary Taylor died in office sixteen months after his inauguration.

Millard Fillmore lived twenty-

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TO

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Andrew L. Williams

Franklin Pierce, lived twelve years and seven months.

James Buchanan lived six years and eleven months.

Abraham Lincoln died in office.

Andrew Johnson lived six years and four months after retirement and served a portion of a term in the United States Senate.

U. S. Grant lived eight years and four months after retirement.

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No. 22	9:00 pm	9:50 pm	
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No. 25	7:55 am	10:15 am	
No. 26	8:00 am	10:25 am	
No. 23	8:25 pm	9:15 pm	
No. 20	8:35 pm	10:15 am	

No. 22 and 26 are Sunday trains only.

Jabez

Miss Bertha Hatfield returned to her home Sunday, after a two weeks visit to her brother, at Loreny Ky.

Not very many from this part went to court at Jamestown Monday, owing to the bad weather.

Our S. S. has kept up very well so far for the winter.

Mr. M. L. Barlow was calling on our merchants last Friday.

Mrs. W. A. Hatfield is suffering very much from a cancer on her nose. She is under a treatment from Drs. of Indianapolis Ind.

We did not have any mail from Jamestown and Somerset Tuesday, on the account of high water.

Mr. J. D. Lowe the shoe man, of your town was here last week taking orders.

Mrs. C. C. LaFavers who had a stroke of paralysis two weeks ago is improving slowly.

Mr. M. S. Hatfield of Russell Springs, will move to this part in a few days.

Mr. Edgar Johnson is at Bowling Green in school.

Mr. Virgel Poppewell of Vern, spent Sunday with his aunt Mrs. Woodridge of this place.

Weed.

The mill of this place blowed up last Thursday and scalded two children of Clay Wilson. One is doing very well and the other not so well.

Born to the wife of Warren Moore, the 15th, twins boys.

Our merchants at this place are doing good business.

Clarence Yates who has been sick for the last month is reported better.

Bro. Gowen is holding a revival at Prices Creek.

John Franklin of Barren county visited at Clay Wilmore's one night last week.

Harry Firquin, is thinking of going West.

Tom Moore of this place has put up a new black smith shop.

Aunt Francis Gowen is on the sick list.

Several of our farmers are holding their tobacco for higher prices.

Hurrah for Charlie Sparks he is aiming for a large crop of tobacco.

Elder Firquin is still making shingles.

Mr. Lewis Moore and wife, are visiting the laters sister.

Charles Gillespie, a negro, charged with criminal assault was put to death in the electric chair at Richmond, Va.

Attention.

All persons owing me notes and accounts are requested to call and settle at once. I need the money due me and I trust that this notice will be heeded. The outstanding business of 1920 must be settled.

W. L. Walker.

A BRAVE SINNER.

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Raymond Nolan was eighteen when he entered the service of a small bank. He was a bright fellow, not only ready to do his own work, but that of any one else. He had been taught the value of money and that the surest way to start a fortune was by saving. Consequently each week when he drew his salary he put aside a certain amount for this purpose.

Raymond was a great favorite with Mr. Porter, owner of the bank. Seeing that the youngster was in every way fitted for promotion, he promoted him as rapidly as vacancies occurred. At each raise of salary Raymond increased the proportionate amount that he put aside for his "nest egg." When that nest egg reached \$500 he looked about for some method of investment. He bought a bond paying 4 per cent interest. From this time his capital increased a little more rapidly. His attention being called to certain shares that were paying double the interest he received on his bond, he changed his investment. The shares not only paid him the interest, but rose in value. He sold them and had \$1,000 of his own.

As year after year passed Nolan found himself nearer to the amount he had fixed upon for legitimate investment. Sometimes he would sink away from it under a delusion of securities, but usually upon a reaction he would find himself further ahead than before. At one of these depressions he concluded to increase his investment, accepting a loan from his broker for the purpose—in other words, buy on a margin. Stocks were considered very cheap and bound to have a good rise. As Nolan had his affairs arranged a rise of five points would give him his \$10,000.

But, contrary to expectations, stocks continued to depreciate, sinking instead of rising five points. Then they started awhile, and another period of liquidation carried them down ten points further. On down they went till Nolan found that he had lost his capital. His broker advised him for "margin" and told him that if he did not hand it in at once they would sell him out. Stocks were very low, and when the market turned they would likely boom.

This was a turning point in Nolan's career. He borrowed \$1,000 from the bank without reporting the loan. Stocks went down, and he borrowed more money.

One morning ten years after Nolan had entered Mr. Porter's service he went into that gentleman's private office and said to him:

"Mr. Porter, some time ago at a sudden collapse of the stock market I lost my savings of years. I believed that there would soon be a rise that would restore all I had lost and give me much more. I borrowed money from the bank to use for margin. Stocks have been still going down, and I have lost \$25,000 of my money."

The president told him that the shortage had been discovered; that the bank had made other losses which they might have weathered without this one. As it was, a failure was unavoidable.

"Mr. Porter," said the young man, "call a peddler and turn me in for conviction. There will be no trial. I shall plead guilty."

"No," replied the president. "I shall prosecute you."

"Then I will surrender myself."

The president endeavored to persuade the young man to go out into the world and start over again. But, no. He had sinned beyond his own forgiveness, and his life had lost its charm. Therefore he would live under the light in any form he assigned him. He left the president, gave himself up to the police under his own confession and within a week was in state prison beginning a term of ten years.

Nolan, receiving the shortened term for good behavior, was discharged in about seven years. The banker had failed and had died, leaving a child, a boy, without mother or support of any kind. As soon as the prisoner regained his liberty he sought out this child, whom he found selling papers. Nolan went to a merchant whom he had known before his imprisonment and asked for a position. The only job the merchant would give him was that of porter. He accepted it, took the boy to live with him, sent him to school and otherwise provided for his maintenance.

One habit acquired by Nolan has remained a fixture. He saves money—saves it not for himself, for he is living a life without either a present or a future. He is saving it for the boy whose father he wronged. He has given that boy a child's savings bank, and the boy, too, is saving. And there is a lesson in that. The young capitalist receives at intervals impressively. Is it not to speculate? No. It is the one great lesson that every boy should learn—never use a cent of a trust fund.

Nolan is no longer a porter. He is in a business of his own. He manages it himself, but through others. He takes the risks usual to any man who handles money, but he pays cash and will not permit other people's money to remain in his possession overnight—not that he fears temptation, but the sensation would be disagreeable to him. He is ready to turn over his self-imposed ward all he took from that ward's father as soon as the boy is equipped to receive it.

Nolan is a man who has not been courageous. He has never told the boy of his sin.

HARRIET S. GEDDES.

SCHOOL FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

Cincinnati Board of Education Will Establish One in a Forest.

The Cincinnati board of education recently adopted a resolution, introduced by President J. M. Witbro, providing for the establishment of a "forest school," where children suffering from tuberculosis or exposed to the danger of the dread disease will be taken care of. The resolution directs the building committee, together with the superintendent of schools and the health officer, "to investigate and report upon the feasibility of establishing a 'forest school' where such children may be kept in school with surroundings best adapted for their instruction and for the return and preservation of their health."

Dr. Witbro's plans are far-reaching. He proposes that the forest school shall be located somewhere out on the hillsides or even in the country. He is now considering a site in College Hill. Once the school is established arrangements will be made for taking care of the children. They are to be taken to the school at 7:30 in the morning and kept there until 6 o'clock in the evening. The transportation to be paid for by the board of education. A kitchen will be established in connection with the school, and the children will be fed also at the expense of the board. Every endeavor is to be made to keep the children outdoors, the lessons being conducted in the open whenever the weather permits. After the school has been given a trial it is probable that tents will be put up, so that the children can even sleep in the open air.

This will be the first institution of the kind in the United States. There are a few similar institutions in Germany, and the results they accomplish are said to be wonderful. Every member of the board was enthusiastic over the matter. "I think it is the most humane thing we have in our power to do," said Member Emil Pollak.

GRANT'S CABIN A MUSEUM.

Augustus Busch to Collect There All the General's Relics He Can Find.

Augustus A. Busch, who recently bought the old home of Ulysses S. Grant, on the Gravois road, in St. Louis county, Mo., known as the "Grant farm," has converted it into a model game preserve, says a St. Louis dispatch.

The famous log cabin, which was carried across the country for exhibition, now occupies a position on the farm overlooking the Gravois road. It will be opened to the public as a museum. It is the intention of Mr. Busch to collect as many Grant relics as possible and restore them to the cabin. The cabin itself is as General Grant's own. It is said that a few logs have been cut out of an inside partition. The old spring house, where the general kept his butter, eggs, milk and, it is rumored, his liquor, which was said to be the best to be found in the state, has been preserved in its entirety. A fence of market barrels that saw service in the civil war surrounds the cabin. A veteran who served under Grant is caretaker.

To the right of the cabin and a short distance away stands the former home of Mrs. Grant, a two story stone house typical of that period. The large barns and other buildings put up afterward under the personal supervision of General Grant are in their original state.

BLOOD RED PINK.

St. Louis Florist's New Carnation May Rival Lawson's \$30.00 Flower.

A variety of the carnation which may rival the famous pink for which Thomas Lawson paid \$30.00 is a product grown by Vincent Gorly, a St. Louis florist and botanical connoisseur. The flowers which bloom on these grafted and self-germinated stalks measure from three to four inches in diameter, few of the blossoms being under three inches.

Mr. Gorly has named the new variety the Vincent pink. It is blood red. Over 12,000 were won in St. Louis McKinley day.

Already the variety has been introduced into France, England, Ireland and Switzerland.

BY MULES TO INAUGURAL.

Four Ohioans to Ride in Antique Carriage to Washington.

A unique pilgrimage to Washington to attend the inaugural of President Elect Taft is being planned by four well known Columbus (O.) business men—C. M. Kinnard, B. H. Harmon, Simon Lazarus and J. W. Moore. They will make the trip from Columbus in the old Governor Tod carriage, pulled by four mules.

The rig will be driven by George Cronther, who formerly drove a forty horse team in a circus. They will be guided through the West Virginia mountains by Sandy Wilkin, an old West Virginia hunter.

Home Seeking With a Brass Band. Prairie schooners carrying five German farmers and their families from Oklahoma, eighteen in all, recently arrived or en route in Logan, N. M., in the eastern part of the territory, to settle in the surrounding farming country. The caravan of schooners was accompanied by twenty head of horses, and the first schooner carried a big German band of eighteen pieces, the martial strains of "Die Wecht am Rhein" heralding the advent of the home seekers.

Possum May Replace Turkey. It is reported that at the next Thanksgiving dinner served in the White House the Georgia possum may replace the Rhode Island turkey.

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Gradyville.

Dr. L. C. Nell spent a day or so in Louisville this week.

Mr. C. O. Moss and wife spent a day or so in Columbia the first of the week.

Mr. Titus Price and wife, of Columbia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Keltner a day or so the first of the week.

We are glad to report that Mrs. J. A. Walker, who has been confined to her room for several days, is improving at this time.

Miss Clara Wilmore was on the sick list several days last week.

Mr. J. W. Keltner, one of our best citizens, is spending a week with his daughter, Mrs. J. Nelson, at Greensburg this week.

Mr. Amos Keltner is erecting a new feed barn which adds greatly to his convenience.

Mr. Albert Parson spent one day last week in Green county looking for wheat.

The whooping cough has about all halted in this community.

Mr. Wilson Yarberry, a well-known man of this section, is in a critical condition. Unless there is a change he can not last but a few days.

Mr. J. D. Walker, our tobacco dealer, spent one day last week looking after the weed, and reports no purchases. Our farmers have not realized the decline in prices on the market.

Miss Mattie Dulin, after several weeks visit with relatives at Edmont, returned home last week.

Messrs. John Lowe, P. V. Grissom, Ed Atkins, S. C. Neat, and Hugh Noe, all of Columbia, were calling on our merchants last week.

Mr. G. T. Flowers was at Fairplay several days last week.

Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, of Columbia, spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Walker, of this community.

Our farmers report that the plant beds that were sown early have come up very nicely. If the weather is suitable there will be several more burned next week.

I would say to my friend at Dirigo so soon as he explains to Mr. Turner the cause of that great decline of that fertile soil of fifty years ago, and make it satisfactory to the readers of the News, we will then take up uncle Joseph's case as to the position of the earth.

Born, to the wife of Thomas Moss on the 24th a son. Mother and child getting along nicely.

The citizens of our town and community have been missing their fowls for several years, and the time has come, to a certain fact, that the thief has been located beyond a question.

Last Tuesday afternoon the rain began to fall, and as the evening passed the rain increased to such an extent that our creek was soon out of banks, and our people, especially those that live close to the creek, became alarmed and moved out for higher quarters. Some few moved out some of their things while others only moved their families. To say the least of it, and especially those of us that witnessed the disaster here a little over a year ago felt very much like there was another one right on us. We are glad to say

there was no damage done except to our fences, lands and roads. We take it that our creek was higher than it has been since the disaster of the 7th of June, 1907.

Mr. J. F. Pendleton is on the market for a lot of good cattle and horses at fancy prices.

Bakerton.

The Gulf Red Cedar Co.'s boom in Crocus let out about 10,000 poles for them, which is scattered from Crocus a long ways down the Cumberland.

Miss Bessie Baker visited Miss Lyda Dillon in this town last week.

Those that were water bound on Big Renox creek Tuesday night were: J. F. Lloyd, J. T. Lloyd, J. L. Cooper, Ulysses Hare and others too numerous to mention and Sam Lewis to boot.

Miss Lizzie Lloyd of Becks Store, visited her sister Mrs. S. T. Irvin Monday and Tuesday.

Clarence Alexander and Joe Sparks, left last Monday for Indiana to look at the country.

T. C. Goff returned home Wednesday night from Klondike, Tenn., where he had been on business. He said he bought five or six hundred acres of land while he was there.

James Cole was here a few days ago.

The "St. Chancy Lamb" loaded lumber and staves here last week for Young Bros., Taylor, Moss & Taylor.

M. W. Baker who has been sick for some time is better.

E. R. and J. A. Young shipped a car load of hogs to the Cincinnati market last Monday on the "St. Rowena".

It was reported here to day that Alex Morrison living on the river above here caught a drowned man floating in the river.

The new telephone line from O. C. Collins on Big Renox, down the creek and up through Clay Lick Bottom to Dr. Bakers will soon be completed and we can get all the news.

Dr. T. T. Baker was at Bakerton last week.

The lightning run into the exchange at Burkesville on the line from this place and we haven't had any communication with them for a few days.

Little Ruth Thomas has whooping cough.

Misses Hattie Brockman and Annie Baker, have returned from Burnside, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

J. A. Parrish made a flying trip to Burnside last week.

It's a girl at Daniel Claywells, and he is all smiles.

J. D. Goff, wife, and Miss Lyda Dillon, visited Mrs. Goff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Parmley, of Whites Bottom last Sunday.

Uncle John Alexander is still in the market for chickens and eggs paying the market price.

Later—The man that was caught in the river by Mr. Morrison was well dressed and did not have any papers on him, had \$4.35 and a gold ring in his pocket.

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Our public school closed its 6 months study on Friday the 19th with good reports.

Business men of Cane Valley, held public meeting in Bank Hall recently with good results, via Town Incorporated.

T. I. Smith is on the road with a full line of samples.

Dr. E. B. Atkinson was called to see Mrs. Josiah Smith, Sunday evening of Carnel neighborhood, who was quite ill.

O. W. McAllister and wife, are visiting in Louisville and Shelbyville. Mr. McAllister, is cashier of Farmers Bank this place, and a courteous gentleman.

Mrs. W. H. Jones, Sr., has been quite ill for several days.

Born to the wife of Roger Page, on Friday the 12, inst, a daughter.

Willie Wilson formally of this place, is now making his home in Green county, was visiting his parents here a few days ago.

Emmet McAllister made a trip to Campbellsville on Sunday the 21, inst.

Jake Vanhoy formally of near here, but now of Shelbyville Ky, was visiting his parents a few days ago.

The young folks of our place was highly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson, on Saturday night the 20, the occasion being a social. Everybody reports a nice time.

Mr. Wm Leach has several cases of whooping cough at his house. One or two more cases reported in the neighborhood.

A. G. Norris, traveling man for Belknap Hardware Co., Louisville, made our town taking orders last Thursday.

Persons of the neighborhood and town of Cane Valley, will confer quite a favor on your correspondent at the above named place if they will report any news that will help to make an item, and will make their humble servant far less inquisitive.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at the Methodist church. Everybody invited.

The Cane Valley High school presented themselves with a nice up-to-date organ for the school building at this place since our last writing.

Will Wilson, Grocery drummer was calling on our merchants one day last week.

A large number from this place went to view Green river's fierce and deep waters, as they covered acres and acres of land, caused from the mighty down-pour of rain which fell on last Tuesday and Wednesday. It is said by many of the older citizens who have lived on the river all their lives that this is the highest tide in the river known for years. Your reporter asked an aged citizen, who was good authority, about the river, while standing on Green river bridge about how deep he supposed the water was just under the bridge. He replied something like 35 feet.

A social was given the young folks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Cundiff, last Thursday night. A large crowd and a good time reported.

R. B. Wilson and little daughter, Mary, were in Columbia one day last week.

Cane Valley has one good Sunday school and enough material to make another good one if properly applied. We only have one life to live, why not put it to good use, and go to Sunday school every Sunday.

Eld. Z. T. Williams passed through our town en route to Columbia, last Thursday from Louisville.

Mr. C. S. Sharp, with Wood Mosaic Flooring & Lumber Co., of Louisville and New Albany, was in our town transacting business the latter part of last week.

Glensfork.

Mr. Portor Morgan wife and children, returned to their home in Temple Texas, last week after an extended visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Morgan's sister, Miss Kittie Lewis, who had resided with them for 11 years, will remain in Ky.

Mr. Odie Lewis and wife, of Amandaville, were visiting at G. S. Abrel's Saturday night and Sunday.

G. R. Abrel purchased of Wm Andrews two calves for eleven dollars.

Died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Kelsay, Mr. Bob Miller, of Crocus, the 21st, after a long illness.

Bill Samuels has moved to the property of J. Z. Collins.

G. B. Collins entertained quite a number of his friends Saturday night, and all report a pleasant time.

Mrs. Brittie Hays was visiting at Mrs. Fannie Wesley's Wednesday.

Mrs. Claudas Helm is in a very critical condition at present, but it is hoped she will soon recover.

James T. Abrel was shopping at Crocus last Thursday.

Tuesday evening there was a regular down pour of rain for several hours and considerable damage was done.

Monipelier.

With the exception of a few cases of Whooping cough the health of this community is good.

A very heavy rain fell here last Tuesday evening doing some damage along streams.

Mrs. Helena Williams, of this neighborhood, sold her farm last week to Mr. Lucien Blair and Herschel Coffey for \$2600, possession to be given immediately. Mrs. Williams will go to Oklahoma to make her future home.

Mr. T. G. Hadley and daughter, Miss Birdie, were visiting relatives at Russell Springs last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ada Epperson, who is attending school at Russell Springs, was home the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Golda Grider, of Russell Springs, was visiting her father, Mr. T. G. Hadley, last week.

Near Death in Big Pond.

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times, nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Paul Drug Co.

Gadberry.

Mrs. Mary Gadberry, who was reported very ill in the last issue, is better at this writing.

Eld. F. J. Barger delivered a interesting discourse at Smith's chapel last Saturday night. His subject being heartfelt religion.

Rollin Johnson has been confined to his room for several days with lagrippe.

John Will Morrison, the son of Mr. M. A. Morrison, who had the misfortune to get his leg broken last Sunday morning, is getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson of Columbia, visited their son, F. R. Johnson at this place last Sunday.

Miss Mary Bailey and brother, Jack, of Joppa visited their sister Mrs. J. R. Johnson, last Sunday.

Mr. Dallas Morrison visited relatives at Hiseville, Barren county, last week.

Miss Ida Loy returned home last Saturday after spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Nannie Curry at Rugby.

Mrs. Amanda Denny is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Johnson at this place.

Miss Susie Morrison and brother Prather, visited Misses Maud and Liddle Stone, near Fairplay last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. L. B. Cain of Gradyville, was in this part a few days ago looking after cattle.

Knifley.

Mrs. Bettie Knifley who has been quite sick for some time is much better.

Mr. Bobt. Quinn is erecting a new dwelling at this place.

The recent high water did considerable damage to the farmers of this section.

Mr. Charlie Bault is thinking of locating in Knifley soon. He will run a barber shop assisted by Charlie Walker.

Mr. Gus Jeffries has resigned his office and expects to engage

in the Hotel and livery business at this place. Traveling men will no doubt be glad to hear this.

Miss Bessie Gose, daughter of J. C. Gose is visiting relatives in Columbia this week.

Mr. H. B. Ingram of Columbia was here on business a few days ago.

Mr. Charlie Jones and some other boys had a mule race here one day last week, Charlie came out winner with the exception of losing his cap. He is getting ready for the fair next Summer.

Mr. Boothia Hovious and family are contemplating moving to North Dakota, to make it their future home.

Mr. Tom Bennett who has charge of the singletree and spoke factory here will move to Liberty, Casey county soon.

We are glad to state that we have a Literary and Debating Society which meets at this place on the Saturday night of each week. The subject discussed last Saturday night was affirmed, "That money has a greater influence over the human family than love," and though the decision was rendered in favor of the affirmative we wish to make special mention of the speech made by Mr. Joe A. Harden, of Pellyton, representing the negative side of the question. Come again Joe.

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